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November 12, 2014

John Morissette, Project Manager Transmission Siting Northeast Utilities Service Company P.O. Box 270 Hartford, CT 06141-0270

RE: DOCKET NO. 424 - The Connecticut Light & Power Company Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Connecticut portion of the Interstate Reliability Project that traverses the municipalities of Lebanon, Columbia, Coventry, Mansfield, Chaplin, Hampton, Brooklyn, Pomfret, Killingly, Putnam, Thompson, and Windham, which consists of (a) new overhead 345-kV electric transmission lines and associated facilities extending between CL&P's Card Street Substation in the Town of Lebanon, Lake Road Switching Station in the Town of Killingly, and the Connecticut/Rhode Island border in the Town of Thompson; and (b) related additions at CL&P's existing Card Street Substation, Lake Road Switching Station, and Killingly Substation.

Dear Mr. Morissette:

Pursuant to a decision made in accordance with R.C.SA. §16-50j-62 (b) at a public meeting of the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) held on September 19, 2013, and in response to your email of November 12, 2014, Council staff hereby approves a temporary change to the Development and Management (D&M) Plan to allow construction activities associated with the above project to occur from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 16, 2014 at Lake Road Switching Station in Killingly. The additional work hours will occur during a scheduled outage.

This approval applies only to the temporary additional work hours requested in your email of November 12, 2014. Any additional changes to the D&M Plan require advance notification and approval in accordance with the Council's approval of the D&M Plan on September 19, 2013. Furthermore, the Certificate Holder is responsible for reporting requirements pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies Section 16-50j-62.

Please be advised that deviations from this plan are enforceable under the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Melanie Bachman

Acting Executive Director

MB/CMW

c: Parties and Intervenors

The Honorable John Hallbergh, Council Chairman, Town of Killingly Sean Hendricks, Town Manager, Town of Killingly

Linda E. Walden, Director of Planning and Development, Town of Killingly

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Sent:

Wednesday, November 12, 2014 8:24 AM

To:

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Bachman, Melanie; Walsh, Christina

Subject:

Docket 424 - Extended Work Hours Request

Dear Ms. Bachman:

Pursuant to Section 16-50j-62(a)(1) of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies (RCSA) and Sections 4 and 7.2 of the Development and Management Plan for the Interstate Reliability Project, Modifications to Card Street Substation, Lake Road Switching Station, and Killingly Substation, the Connecticut Light and Power Company (CL&P) requests that the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) review and approve extended work hours at the Lake Road Switching Station (Town of Killingly) on Sunday, November 16, from 7 AM to 7 PM.

The proposed Sunday work, which must be performed during an outage, is required because the schedule for the outage was recently shifted. The planned Sunday work at the Lake Road Switching Station will consist of wiring and testing in the control house and in the station yard relating to the interconnection of the new 3271 Line. Most of the planned work in the switching station yard will be performed at ground level and will not require any additional machinery unless an emergency arises. Crews will work with hand tools to install new wiring and to perform tests on the control wiring circuits.

CL&P will appraise representatives of the Town of Killingly, as well as the Lake Road Generating Station, regarding the planned Sunday work.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me via e-mail at <u>john.morissette@nu.com</u> or telephone at 860-726-4532.

Regards John Morissette

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